

Remarks/Arguments

Claims 1-12 are pending in this application. Claims 10-12 have been canceled.

Election/Restrictions

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants elect the invention of Group I, claims 1-9.

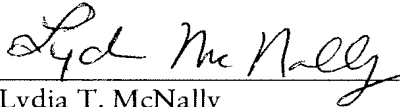
Claims 1-9 are readable on elected group I.

Entry of this Response is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is hereby invited to contact the undersigned by telephone if there are any questions concerning this response or application.

Respectfully submitted,

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